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RUSSIAN AGGRESSION SHOWS NO WEAKNESS

In Both Volhynia and Galicia the Muscovites Have Made Fresh Advances

CAPTURE MORE PRISONERS AND WAR STORES

In Galicia the Russians are Pressing Forward Toward the Pruth River and the Bukovina Frontier, With Czernowitz Their Objective—Numerous Austrian Fortified Positions Have Fallen Into the Hands of the Russians—Austro-Hungarians, Reinforced by Germans, Are Holding Back Attempts of Russians to Advance in the Direction of Lemberg, the Capital of Galicia—Canadian Troops in the Ypres Have Made a Notable Gain—Italians Have Taken Strong Austrian Positions in the Largarina Valley.

In Volhynia and Galicia the Russians are keeping up their strong offensive against the Austro-Hungarians and on various sectors in both regions they have made fresh advances and captured additional prisoners and war stores. In Galicia the drive of the Russians has brought them across the Dniester river, where they have captured the towns of Zalesky and Horodetska, whence they are pressing forward toward the Pruth river and the Bukovina frontier with Czernowitz their objective. Numerous Austrian fortified positions in this region have fallen into the hands of the Russians.

Reinforced by Germans. Further north violent fighting is taking place around Tarnopol, where the Austro-Hungarians, reinforced by Germans, are holding back the attempts of the Russians to advance in the direction of Lemberg, capital of Galicia, northeast of Tarnopol, near Vorshelivka, positions have changed hands repeatedly in the heavy fighting, while east of Kovel, where the Russians have advanced post is reported by Vienna.

Austrians Suffer Heavy Losses. In Volhynia, northwest and west of Lutsk, the Russians have driven out the Austrians near Rottiche and occupied the town of Torschin, while west of Kovel, the Russians have again repulsed the Austrians, who were attempting to cross the Rye river, inflicting heavy losses on them. The diversion of the Germans on the northern part of the front apparently has not yet assumed great proportions. The latest Petrograd official communication merely reports bombardments of Russian positions at many points, while Berlin only reports the capture of a Russian cavalry brigade southeast of Jacobstadt and an increase in the Russian artillery fire in the region of Parovichi.

Canadians Make a Gain. The Canadian troops in the region of Ypres have made a notable gain over the Germans, retaking from them the town of Zillebeke, in a "brilliant and successful assault" more than 1,500 yards of former British positions which the Germans captured recently. The regained ground was held despite a vigorous shelling by the Germans. The Germans suffered heavy casualties in the fighting.

After driving their wedge farther into the French line northeast of Verdun Monday, the Germans on Tuesday did not follow up their advantage with infantry attacks. Only intermittent bombardments are taking place around Verdun.

Italians Capture Austrian Positions. In the Largarina valley of the Austro-Italian theatre the Italians have taken by assault strong Austrian positions and repulsed heavy counterattacks launched by the Austrians. On the Pouna-Astico front the Austrians penetrated Molteni, but were later driven out and in the Sagna valley they met with repulse, with considerable losses, in an attempt to advance east of the Maseo Torrent.

Slight successes for their respective sides in the Russian and Turkish fronts. No important changes in the situation in this region have occurred, however.

PENN. RAILROAD ELEVATOR BURNED, NEAR BALTIMORE. From Four to Ten Men Lost Their Lives—More Than 40 Injured.

Baltimore, Md., June 13.—Pennsylvania Railroad elevator No. 3, on the harbor front at Canton, a suburb, was burned tonight, with a loss of life estimated at from four to ten men and injuries to more than forty others. The victims were grain elevator employees and cargo trimmers. Three of the injured were in a critical condition tonight.

Two steamships, the Willem Van Driel Sr., a Dutch vessel, and the British steamer Welbeck Hall, who were loading grain at the elevator, also were badly damaged by fire and wreckage dropped upon them from the elevator.

The flames spread to an ore pier next to the elevator, badly damaging it. Several strings of grain cars in the elevator were also damaged. While the fire is thought to have been caused by an explosion of grain dust, a theory that it may have been caused by a bomb. This theory will be investigated, it was said.

The blast blew out the 90-foot tower, or upper elevator and in an instant the whole building was ablaze. Conservative estimates placed the total loss at more than \$2,000,000. Altogether about a million bushels of wheat, oats, barley, rye and buckwheat were destroyed.

Scores of men barely escaped with their lives. Thirty-four grain handlers and stevedores who were caught in the hold of the Welbeck Hall fought their way to freedom over the piles of grain. Gaining the deck of the ship, they found their way to shore cut off by the flames. Some of them jumped overboard and were picked up. Launches ran alongside and took off the others.

Two gangs of grain handlers, imprisoned on the Willem Van Driel, so, for a time, made a dash across the elevator wharf to safety, but they were showered with sparks and burning wood and only a few escaped unscathed. The charred bodies of two men were found in the hold of the Willem Van Driel Sr. tonight.

The number of known dead was increased to three by the finding of a man in the wreckage of the elevator. Nine men were unaccounted for tonight. They were William Cowan, Sebastian and Adam G. Schmidt, six of commerce inspector and six laborers.

ERNEST MARTIN HOPKINS PRESIDENT OF DARTMOUTH To Fill Vacancy Caused by Resignation of Ernest Fox Nichols.

Boston, June 13.—The election of Ernest Martin Hopkins of Newton as president of Dartmouth College, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Ernest Fox Nichols was announced tonight by Homer B. Keyes, business director of the college. Mr. Hopkins is a graduate of Dartmouth and was formerly its secretary.

Cabled Paragraphs

Submarine Sank Hampshire. London, June 14.—German newspapers, according to a Berlin dispatch to the Morning Post, state that the British cruiser Hampshire was sunk by a German submarine. It was on the Hampshire that Kitchener and staff were voyaging to Russia.

W. MURRAY CRANE IN CONFERENCE WITH HUGHES

Chairman of Committee Which Will Select Campaign Manager.

New York, June 13.—W. Murray Crane, chairman of the sub-committee of the national committee, arrived here tonight with a conference with Mr. Hughes.

Mr. Crane remained in conference with Mr. Hughes until 11.30 o'clock. When he left, he was said to consider all phases of the campaign had been discussed, but declined to disclose the nature of the discussions.

Full authority to select the chairman of the national committee, which will manage the campaign, Mr. Crane said, was given to the sub-committee of which he is chairman.

It is understood there are several candidates for the position of chairman, but Mr. Crane refused tonight to discuss that question. The sub-committee probably will meet some time next week, Mr. Crane said, to consider the election of the national chairman.

EQUAL RIGHTS MOVEMENT ENDORSED BY DANIELS

Supporters Encouraged in Their Quest in St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., June 13.—Joy filled the suffrage camps here tonight, because the Secretary of the Navy, Daniels, publicly endorsed the equal rights movement and on every hand suffragists declared they believed the democratic platform will favor their cause.

The secretary made it plain that he spoke only as an individual but suffragists believed his words may have influence with the resolutions committee in the national convention.

"I believe," Mr. Daniels said, "that woman should have equal rights with man, in so far as I can help you, as an individual I will. I am not speaking for anyone except myself, however, and I am not a delegate to the convention, so I cannot consistently take up the fight for you here. But I am in hearty accord with you and wish you the greatest success."

A WRECKING CREW SENT TO PUERTO PLATA

To Determine Best Method of Repairing the Destroyer Terry.

Washington, June 13.—A wrecking crew has been sent to Puerto Plata, Santo Domingo, to determine the best method of repairing the destroyer Terry, which recently went aground there and was more seriously damaged than at first supposed. Despatches to the navy department today said the vessel's starboard side struck a reef and was badly smashed. The destroyer, in the mud with her decks half awash.

SHELTON PAPER MILL DESTROYED BY FIRE

Blaze Was Spectacular and Attracted a Large Crowd—Loss \$10,000.

Shelton, Conn., June 13.—Fire of uncertain origin tonight practically destroyed the old mill of the Derby Paper company, causing a loss estimated between \$10,000 and \$15,000. The building was used by W. F. Driscoll for his wire pulling plant. A vat of molten lead during the progress of the fire, but no one was injured. The blaze was spectacular and attracted a large crowd.

HALF A MILLION FOR PLATTSBURGH CAMP

Included in the Army Appropriation Bill, According to Present Plans.

Washington, June 13.—The citizens' committee for the Plattsburgh camp, which has asked for \$500,000 in the \$167,000,000 army appropriation bill, is now waiting for the house military committee will finally pass on the bill tomorrow probably by putting this amount in the bill instead of the \$4,000,000 asked for by the citizens' committee.

President Wilson RETURNS TO WASHINGTON

Immediately Got in Touch With Pre-convention Developments.

Washington, June 13.—President Wilson returned here at 10 o'clock tonight from West Point, where he spoke to the graduates of the military academy. He immediately went to the White House with Mrs. Wilson and there got in touch with the pre-convention developments in St. Louis.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Katharine Farrell, mother of James A. Farrell, president of the United States Steel company, died suddenly tonight at her summer home at Ball's Island, near here. She was 83 years old and had been in failing health for some time.

A result of her death, it was decided to postpone the wedding here tomorrow of Miss Mary Theresa Farrell, daughter of Mr. Farrell, to Joseph B. Murray of Brooklyn, N. Y. Nearly a thousand invitations had been extended.

In addition to James A. Farrell, an older son, William H. Farrell, of Bridgeport, and a daughter, Elizabeth, survive.

O. A. C. Alumni Officers.

Storrs, Conn., June 13.—The Storrs Agricultural College Alumni Association at its annual reunion today, elected the following officers: President, Victor E. Leach, Meriden; vice president, Thomas H. Deacon, Hartford; H. M. Pierpont, Watertown; Stephen D. Crowell, Middletown; Mrs. Storrs, Storrs; secretary, H. J. B. Twigg, Hartford; treasurer, Charles A. Wheelock, Mansfield.

Casualties Among Canadians.

Ottawa, Ont., June 13.—Another long list of casualties among the Canadian Overseas contingent was issued by the militia department. It contains 870 names, of whom 15 were Americans.

Hughes' Policy is Purely American

DEFINES ATTITUDE TOWARD GERMAN-AMERICAN SUPPORT.

UNDILUTED PATRIOTISM ADMINISTRATION SAYS

Republican Presidential Nominee Had a Busy Day—Former Progressive Leaders Pledge Their Allegiance—Oscar Straus Sends Telegram.

New York, June 13.—Charles E. Hughes today defined his attitude toward German-American support as one of "undiluted Americanism." In the first statement issued since his acceptance of the republican nomination for president.

"Undiluted Americanism," "I stated my position very clearly in my telegram to the convention. My attitude is one of undiluted Americanism and anybody that supports me is supporting an out and out American and an out and out American policy, absolutely nothing else."

The nominee's day, a busy one, was devoted almost exclusively to receiving callers. His visitors were more numerous than yesterday. There were so many of them that he could not shake hands and chat for a moment. Several progressive leaders and republican supporters of Colonel Roosevelt were among them.

Pledges of Support.

Everett Colby of New Jersey, who placed John M. Parker in nomination for the vice presidency at the progressive caucus, was up by the Douglas Robinson, nephew of Colonel Roosevelt and a former progressive leader in New Jersey, and Henry Hughes' absence at luncheon. They left word that they would return in a day or so to deliver in person their pledges of support.

Sharp Response to the Carranza Note.

A sharp rejoinder is being prepared to the Carranza note. It will repeat the determination of President Wilson to keep American troops in Mexico until the Carranza forces have shown their ability and intention to properly police the border states. It is also to rebuke the serious statements and the date crop of new disturbances. It will supply additional evidence that the Carranza government does not in fact exercise the control it claims over the border states.

Pending the sending of the reply, Secretary Lansing has had before him a mass of data, dealing with the assertions of fact set up by the Mexican note. He expects to be able to refute most of these statements and the date crop of new disturbances. It will supply additional evidence that the Carranza government does not in fact exercise the control it claims over the border states.

Formal Notification Within a Few Days.

The date of his formal notification of nomination may be settled definitely within a few days, as word was received tonight at headquarters that the sub-committee from the national committee had agreed to accept Mr. Hughes' present plan is to receive the committee before he leaves for St. Louis to attend a class reunion and the commencement exercises at Brown University, Providence, and then return to New York. Soon thereafter he will decide on the location of his summer home.

Whitman to Call This Week.

Governor Whitman of New York, who took a leading part in the pre-convention fight for Hughes and placed him in nomination at Chicago, probably will visit him during the week, it was said.

THE FLAG'S BIRTHDAY

June 14th, 1916

I am the flag. I am the flag! So named by two million freemen who carried me to victory.

I stand for the sovereignty of a free people. Under me five million slaves were made free, and the freedom of a hundred million people is made secure.

Tyrants look upon me with scorn, but freemen look upon me with love, and the oppressed every nation looks upon me with hope.

I have been defended and cheered by freemen, the soldier and the slave.

I stand for democracy. For the greatest good of the greatest number of God's children.

As the symbol of that which is holy or good I have been carried by valor through rivers of blood.

Always for peace except when assailed; but for preparedness my defenders have failed.

I stand for freedom! Freedom as old as the glory of God.

The brave sons who followed me through a baptism of blood, in their loyalty and love called me "Old Glory."

I am the banner of freedom!

I am the flag of your country.

Condensed Telegrams

Gov. Holcomb left the state on a visit to Massachusetts. He will return today.

Two more battalions of Japanese troops have been ordered to Peking and Tientsin.

May production of the Utah Copper Co. is officially estimated at 15,984,000 pounds.

Acton Davies, former New York dramatic critic, died in Lakeview hospital, Chicago.

Shipments of fresh and cured meats from Chicago last week amounted to 50,182,000 pounds.

A membership to the New Orleans cotton exchange was sold for \$5,950, the highest price so far.

The Swedish steamer Joy was sunk off Falerstern by a mine. Two women and five men were drowned.

Consideration of the fortifications appropriation bill, carrying \$21,997,050, was started by the house.

The Prairie Pipe Line Co. declared a quarterly dividend of \$5 a share and an extra dividend of \$5 a share.

Dr. Ralph W. Thompson, foreign secretary of the London Missionary Society since 1881, died in London.

The 31st annual meeting of the National Editorial association will be held at New York from June 15 to 23.

Seventy-five thousand people will march with President Wilson today in Washington's preparedness parade.

Thomas Nelson Page, American ambassador to Italy, who is in Washington on leave, conferred with President Wilson.

The attempt to construct a steam road spur track in Bridgeport has struck a snag before the utilities commission.

Mayor Anthony Suterland has left Danbury for Ithaca, N. Y., where is to study aviation at the Thomas School of flying.

The supreme court ordered a reargument of the minimum wage law which has been pending in the court for several days.

Seymour G. Best, metal polish manufacturer of Long Island City, committed suicide at his home at Bay-side, L. I.

National and state celebrities of the Civil war attended the golden jubilee commemoration of the Ohio G. A. R. at Marion, O.

Fifteen members of the crew of the Norwegian steamer Bur, sunk by either a mine or a torpedo, arrived at Ymuden, Holland.

King Victor Emmanuel of Italy conferred with the leaders of the various parties regarding the formation of a new cabinet.

Two persons were injured when two jitney buses collided between Long Branch and Red Bank, N. J., collided at Red Bank.

Fifteen thousand doctors attended the opening of the 67th annual convention of the American Medical association at Detroit.

The message of Charles E. Hughes, accepting the republican presidential nomination, was ordered printed in the Congressional Record.

Official announcement was made by the National City Bank of New York of the closing of a loan of \$50,000,000 to the Russian government.

Fourteen cloakmakers were arrested in New York city in the largest picket-line demonstration since the beginning of the garment workers' strike.

A party of American refugees fleeing Mexican soil are reported to have reached General Pershing's base at Nampulpa on their way to the border.

Private Lee Saunders of the Twelfth cavalry was wounded in the head and legs when a patrol he was with was fired on by two Mexicans near Hachita, N. M.

The American steamer City of Savannah, from Calcutta and Colombo for Boston and New York, beached on the African coast while at sea, has been refloated.

The new superdreadnaught Pennsylvania, the most powerful battleship afloat, was delivered to the United States navy officers at the Norfolk navy yard.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION IS FIXED

Program for Nominations and the Platform Has Apparently Been Agreed Upon

BAKER ARRIVES IN ST. LOUIS WITH PLATFORM

Vice Presidential Boomers Faded Away When Told That President Wilson Desired Mr. Marshall Again as His Running Mate—President Wilson's Own Draft of Platform Will Be Presented by Secretary of War Baker to Senator Stone of Missouri, Who Will Be Chairman of the Resolutions Committee—Homer S. Cummings in the List From Which a Campaign Manager is to be Selected—Convention Opens at Noon Today.

St. Louis, June 13.—Arrival here tonight of Secretary of War Newton D. Baker, President Wilson's personal representative, bearing "the president's own" draft of the platform and news that he desires the renomination of Vice President Marshall, firmly established the harmony programme for the democratic national convention which opens tomorrow.

Programme Agreed Upon.

When Chairman McCombs of the democratic national committee let his counsel before the platform committee expect all pre-convention discords to be blended in one harmonious note. A programme upon both the presidential and vice presidential nominations and the platform as well as apparently been agreed upon by the leaders.

Vice Presidential Boomers Wilt.

"Vice presidential boomers, around which most of the pre-convention fights have centered, wilted away tonight under the influence of the personal message from the White House that the president desired Mr. Marshall again as his running mate."

Secretary Baker also effectively disposed of the vice presidential boomers by his own behalf which had attained prominence in the belief in some quarters that Mr. Marshall lacked genuine administration support.

President for Renomination of Marshall.

"The president is for the renomination of Vice President Marshall," was the emphatic statement tonight of Secretary Baker.

"So far as I know, the president has not considered any other nominee. As the movement for the renomination of Mr. Marshall, I am here as a delegate from Ohio. I ran in a popular primary place to support Mr. Marshall and obviously could not allow myself to be considered."

Wilson's Draft of Platform.

"The president's own" draft of the platform and the platform committee will be typewritten by himself—will be delivered by Mr. Baker to Senator Stone of Missouri, chairman-to-be of the resolutions committee. Little change in it is anticipated. Mr. Baker said he came here as the means of convincing the republican platform committee, the convention and the president.

Although Mr. Baker declined tonight to disclose the president's platform, according to the republican platform committee will dwell principally on "peace, preparedness for peace, and prosperity."

Despite agitation by some democratic leaders, President Wilson, it is said, disapproved insertion of a plank criticizing the nomination of a successor to the president since the beginning of the garment workers' strike.

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The American steamer City of Savannah, from Calcutta and Colombo for Boston and New York, beached on the African coast while at sea, has been refloated.

The new superdreadnaught Pennsylvania, the most powerful battleship afloat, was delivered to the United States navy officers at the Norfolk navy yard.

Kansas City will rank third among the big milling centers in the United States when the new 2,400 barrel flour mill being erected there by the Midland Co. is completed.

Three hundred additional policemen went to Fort Wadsworth for a two-weeks' course in military training, displacing the first squad, which had been drilling for 18 days.

The British treasury announced that the additional two shilling tax upon securities is to be applied to purchase of new securities to be issued under the British income tax.

A constitutional amendment to disqualify federal judges from holding any elective office for at least two years after leaving the bench was introduced by Senator Thomas.

Two men were killed, three seriously injured and a score hurt when New York Central passenger train No. 11, more than two hours late in a fog, ran into a crowd of 200 workmen at Cleveland.

A three-ton motor truck, the property of the New York National guard, was wrecked when it crashed into the bridge spanning the Fleishli creek at Brinkhoff, N. Y. The bridge collapsed.

Bringing the body of one seaman and a lifeboat of the American steamer Roanoke, which foundered 100 miles south of San Francisco in May, the steamer City of Paris arrived at Panama from San Francisco.

While playing at his home in New Haven, Virginia, a 12-year-old boy, found some pills which he thought was candy, ate ten of them and died half an hour later in her mother's arms. The pills contained a slight quantity of poison.

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been suggested by former Representative J. Mitchell Palmer of that state.

Mentioned for Treasurer.

Wilbur W. Marsh, national committeeman from Iowa, was mentioned tonight for treasurer, and Henry Morganthau of New York, former ambassador to Turkey, was said to be slated for chairman of the finance committee.

Although Mr. Baker said that his function as representative of the president had exclusively to do with the platform, and that he was not authorized to represent Mr. Wilson on any subject, his statements, including the president's desire for Vice President Marshall's renomination, were regarded generally as representing the White House point of view.

Regarding the plan broached by some leaders to send an invitation to the progressives to join the democratic, or make specific platform overtures to them.

The progressives are a group of men who are earnestly and devotedly trying to serve a set of deep rooted political beliefs. They do not want a piece of engraved stationery, but evidence that the democratic and progressive are trying to serve the same cause.

The record of the democratic administration in the past year has shown that the platform ought to satisfy any progressive that his opportunity lies with the democratic party.

No invitation to Progressives.

"There could not be any direct invitation to the progressives to join the democratic party. We can only hope to get progressive support by drawing a platform so broad that it will meet their approval. I think that a great many progressives will feel deeply disappointed with the meaningless republican platform, but they will not allow themselves to be misled by the promises of the democratic party."

Baker to Campaign.

Secretary Baker said tonight that he hoped to spend much of the summer in campaign work.

"I will give every minute of my time that is consistent with my full duty as secretary of war to the campaign for the national committee, which I can be of any service."

"The democratic speakers' bureau, according to the president's plan, will be under the immediate direction of Postmaster General Burleson."

BRYAN NOT TO URG PROHIBITION PLANK.

This Year Not the Time to Touch Upon the Subject.

St. Louis, June 13.—William Jennings Bryan announced definitely tonight that he would not urge a prohibition plank at the democratic national convention, and added that he believed this year was not the time for the party to touch upon the subject.

Mr. Bryan was asked by friends what he thought of Colonel Roosevelt's proposal to drop the prohibition plank from the national committee to accept the progressive nomination.

"I think," said he, "it can be best considered for the next year. He told the ardent avian the best he could do would be to be a sister to him."

CONFERENCE FAILS TO FIX RAILWAY WAGE SCALE.

Negotiations Intended to Avert a General Strike Have Failed.

New York, June 13.—Although the conference on the proposed settlement of the railroad of the country and their employees technically is still in session, spokesmen for both sides declared tonight that the negotiations intended to avert a general strike, have failed. The conference, they state, will adjourn tomorrow.

The failure of the conference does not mean that a general strike of the 250,000 railroad men will follow immediately, but the railroad men and managers agree. The result of the conference must first be reported to the men and strike vote will follow, and if the strike is authorized the workers will then renew their demands.

Only in the event of another failure to agree, either through compromise or arbitration, would the strike ever become effective.